

## **SMT – Tarzan Assault Course**

Encl: (1) Operational Risk Assessment (ORA)

### **1. Purpose:**

- a. Physical Development
- b. Combat Orientation
- c. Officership Training
- d. Professional Development

### **2. Training Objectives:**

- a. The participant's physical development goal will be met by the physically demanding maneuvers required to navigate the Tarzan Assault Course. This includes supporting one's body while maneuvering the rope-climbing portion of the course.
- b. The participant's combat orientation goal will be met by giving midshipmen the opportunity to perform physically and mentally difficult maneuvers while in dangerous conditions. Midshipmen must learn to overcome their personal fears in order to carry out the objective of navigating the course.
- c. The participant's officership training goal will be met by teaching the midshipmen to put their fears aside and motivate their classmates and/or their subordinates to complete the course.
- d. The participant's professional development goal will be met by introducing midshipmen to a course that is used in the various officership-training programs at the Marine Corps Base, Quantico, VA.

### **3. Outline of Events:**

- 0630 - Form up in respective company area for accountability.
- 0640 – Form up outside for a platoon run to Farragut sea wall.
- 0650 – Board the Utility Boats en route to the Naval Station.
- 0710 - Arrive at the Naval Station in the Small Craft Basin.
- 0710 - Form up for a platoon run to the Tarzan Assault Course.
- 0725 – Arrive at the Tarzan Assault Course.
- 0730 – Form up in platoon formation for accountability and safety instruction.
- 0750 – Begin the Tarzan Assault Course.
- 0900 – Complete the Tarzan Assault Course and begin platoon run to the Small Craft Basin.
- 0915 – Arrive at the Small Craft Basin and board the Utility Boats.
- 0930 - Arrive Farragut sea wall and return to Bancroft Hall.

Participants – (individual companies fill in)

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